UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO
FACULTY OF MUSIC

Thursdays at Noon

Dr. Shirantha Beddage, *jazz baritone saxophonist*

Thursday, September 25, 2025 at 12:10pm | Walter Hall, 80 Queen's Park

PROGRAM

Selections from: *Ukusa Vannama*
Sri Lankan traditional, arr. Shirantha Beddage

Hey, Jimmy!
Comp and arr, Shirantha Beddage

Departures
Comp and arr, Shirantha Beddage

Autumn in New York
Vernon Duke, arr. Shirantha Beddage

These are the Questions
Comp and arr, Shirantha Beddage

The Pickled Herring Blues
Comp and arr, Shirantha Beddage

Shirantha Beddage, *baritone saxophone*
Michael Davidson, *vibraphone*
Dan Fortin, *bass*
Ethan Ardelli, *drums*

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